

BULLETIN NEWS LETTERS FROM THE BROADENING FIELD

LETTERS FROM TOWNS IN TWO STATES

The Business and Social Life of Every Town and Settlement Reflected in These Columns.

NEW LONDON COUNTY.

OLD MYSTIC.

Annual Meeting of Baptist Ladies' Aid Society—Violets Picked Jan. 11—Items of Interest About the Village.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Horace O. Williams in West Main street.

Personal Notes.
Miss Mattie Haven Beckwith has returned from a two weeks' visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, and daughter, Miss Gladys Roberts, of Waterbury.

Miss Flora Mitchell of Black Hall is the guest of Mrs. Benjamin M. Denison at the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. Edwin Lamberson of Elm Cottage is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Denison and little daughter, Mrs. M. T. after the guests of Mrs. Denison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Burrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Eldredge of Riverport were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Miner of Montague, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Eggleston have returned to Yonkers, N. Y., after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Haley and Miss Mabel Adella Haley of Main street.

Mrs. Edward Campbell returned on Monday from a visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Everett, of Essex, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred A. Brown have named their infant son Milton Brown. Frederick A. Barnes is recovering from a two weeks' illness.

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NIANTIC.

Large Audience Entertained by Diverging Farce—Trolley Company to Furnish Drawbridge Power.

The farce, "Box and Cox, Married and Settled," was given Wednesday evening at Union hall, for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor society on the Congregational church. There was a large attendance, the hall being filled to the doors. All enjoyed the evening's entertainment, saying it was worth going many miles to see.

The cast follows: John Box, F. A. Harris; James Cox, H. W. Smith; Mrs. Box, Miss Lucy Hipeleus; Mrs. Cox, Miss Hattie Smith; Mrs. Bouncer, Mrs. H. W. Smith; Edith, Miss Hays; F. A. Harris; Isabel Granger, Miss Grace Saunders; Prymella Abercrombie, Miss Clara DeWolfe.

General News.
Samuel Rogers is employed at the B. & A. Lumber plant in New York City.

The New London, East Lyme Street Railway company has the contract to furnish power for the drawbridge at Niantic.

Miss Inez Spencer is quite ill at the home of Mrs. M. S. Brown on Washington street.

Mrs. Curtis Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Knappenberg and Mrs. C. A. Rice Tuesday, at the Congregational church parsonage.

Turner C. Haynes was in Hartford Tuesday on business.

J. P. Morgan has returned from a visit with his son, Roy Morgan, of New Haven.

R. Morton was in Waterford on business Tuesday.

Town Clerk E. C. Russell entertained several visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Libby are visiting relatives in Norwich this week.

H. D. Willard of Hartford called on friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Benson spent Saturday and Sunday with H. P. Gidley.

Mrs. Duchette and daughter Marie are visiting relatives in Norwich.

YAWBUX VALLEY.

Pertinent Paragraphs.

Wayland Burdick has rented his farm and will move in to the village.

Mrs. Dossie Lee is substituting as teacher in this district for Miss Phebe Sheffield, who is sick.

Miss Evangeline Steadman has resigned her position as teacher of the Ashwille school.

Alonso Carpenter of Norwich and Denison Royce were guests of Henry L. Miner Sunday.

John Kenyon of Mystic called on his sister, Mrs. George Davis, Sunday.

Mrs. John Church of Westerly spent the day recently with Mrs. Harriet Crandall.

Master Leon Richmond has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Carrie M. Steadman is teaching at Tatfville.

Miss Anna L. Chapman visited over Sunday with Misses Ruth and Elsie Chapman at Westerly.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Coates have been in Hartford this week.

James Lord was a caller in Essex last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lodowick Bill attended the state grange meeting in Hartford this week.

Miss Louise Martin was at her home over Sunday.

George Gordon, who has been a guest at Mrs. Mary Tiffany's, returned to New York Monday.

Horsehoofers of Saxony must pass a public examination before they are properly qualified.

GALES FERRY.

Auxiliary Considers Work of Pioneers—Snow Social—Personal and General News.

The local auxiliary of the Woman's Home Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Lucy Harburt on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The president, Mrs. Thomas Latham, presided. The subject for the afternoon's study was Pioneer Work and Workers.

There was a good attendance. Mrs. Harburt, assisted by Miss Laura Perkins, served refreshments during the social hour that followed.

Franklin H. Brown of Norwich was guest at this meeting. The society is much interested at present in packing a barrel for a minister's family in the west.

Social and Business Meeting.
The quarterly social and business meeting of the Epworth league was held Wednesday evening in the vestry of the Methodist Episcopal church and carried out the idea of a snow social. The room was decorated in white, sprinkled with diamond dust. The following programme was given: Piano solo, Miss Jennie G. Perkins; reading, The Snow Storm, Miss Gladys Thompson; song, Snow Flakes, Miss Ruth Lawson; recitation, Snow Bound, Richard Braconell; piano solo, Byron Ames; reading, Mrs. Randolph Ruggles; Christmas Tree, Miss Laura A. Perkins; vocal solo, The Snowflake, Miss Grace Chapman; piano solo, Byron Ames; vocal solo, The Snowflake, Miss Grace Chapman; piano solo, Byron Ames; vocal solo, The Snowflake, Miss Grace Chapman.

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PENDELTON HILL.

Miss Julia W. Palmer Left Helpless and Speechless by Shock—Miss Sarah Palmer Will Be Spooked.

Mary Chapman has not recovered sufficiently from her attack of pneumonia to be able to resume her duties as teacher of the Hill school. Clara Coon is substituting for her.

H. B. Moutfries of New Haven is a guest at Mrs. James Cook's.

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